

JOHN W. STEFFEY, Republican, Anne Arundel County; born in Baltimore, May 29, 1925. Attended McDonogh School; U. S. Coast Guard Academy, B.S., 1946; Massachusetts Institute of Technology; The Johns Hopkins University. Real estate broker and builder. Served with the U. S. Coast Guard, 1943-49. Member, Charter Commission, City of Baltimore. Member, Republican State Central Committee for Anne Arundel County. District Chairman and member, Republican State Central Committee. Past president, Maryland Real Estate Association. Officer and director, Maryland Home Builders Association. Member, Annapolis Yacht Club; Baltimore Country Club; Center Club; Merchants Club. Married. Member of the Senate since 1965.¹

EDWARD O. WEANT, JR., Democrat, Carroll County; born in Westminster, April 9, 1918. Attended Westminster public schools; St. James School, St. James; Donaldson School, Ichester; Western Maryland College, A.B., 1941; Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration; University of Maryland Law School, LL.B., 1949. Admitted to the Maryland Bar, 1949. Served with the U. S. Army, 1942-46. Past Chairman, Carroll County Welfare Board. Member, American and Maryland Bar Associations. President, Carroll County Bar Association. Past president, Westminster Chamber of Commerce. Past Commander, Carroll Post 31, American Legion. Member, V.F.W.; Westminster Forest and Stream Club; Westminster Rifle and Gun Club; University Club. Married. Member of the Senate, 1959-65. Chairman, Prison Administration Committee, 1963-65 Sessions. Resigned, February 24, 1965.

VERDA F. WELCOME, Democrat, Baltimore 4th; born in Lake Lure, N. C. Attended North Carolina and Delaware public schools; Coppin Normal School; Morgan State College, B.S., 1939; New York University, M.A., 1943; Columbia University. Homemaker, civic worker, former teacher. Member, Mayor's Advisory Committee for Urban Renewal, 1946. Member, President Johnson's National Citizens' Committee for Community Relations. Delegate, 1964 Democratic National Convention. Member, 1960 Democratic 750 Club. State Delegate, 1960 Legislative Work Conference, Southern Regional Education Board. Member, Americans for Democratic Action; Board of Governors, 4th District Democratic Organization of Baltimore City, Inc.; Mount Royal Democratic Club; Valiant Women's Democratic Club; Baltimore Urban League. Board member, Citizens' Planning and Housing Association; International League of Peace and Freedom; League of Women Voters; Maryland State Division, American Association of University Women. Member, Maryland Historical Society; Mondawmin Improvement Association; National Association for the Advancement of Colored People; National Order of Women Legislators; Women Power; Women's Cooperative Civic League. Board member, Advance Savings and Loan Association; Maryland Chapter, National Multiple Sclerosis Society; Provident Hospital. Member, Delta Sigma Theta sorority. Received Distinguished First Award presented by American Negro Emancipation Centennial Commission of Illinois, 1963; 1962 Woman of the Year Award presented by the Women's Auxiliary to the National Medical Association; Afro-American Newspaper award for superior public service; citation to outstanding soror, Baltimore Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta sorority; Outstanding Achievement Award, The Women of Morgan State College; Distinguished Alumni Citation, Coppin State Teachers College; Certificate of Merit, Baltimore Chapter, Howard University Alumni Association; Community Service Award, Baltimore Chapter, Business and Professional

¹Appointed to the Senate, February 1, 1965, vice Joseph W. Alton, Jr., resigned.